

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT – KAZIs ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) - Appointment of Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed, Kurnool Town & District as Government Kazi for Kurnool Rural, Kallur Urban and Kodumur Mandal of Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazis, initially for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only - Notification - Orders -Issued.

MINORITIES WELFARE (IDM) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 81

Dated: 24-06-2021

Read the following:-

1. From Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed, Kurnool Town & District, Dt:09.10.2015
2. Govt.Memo No.2511/IDM/A1/2015, Dt.19.10.2015.
3. From the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool,Lr.No.Rc.E8/1534/ 2016, Dt:10.08.2016 and dt:18.03.2021

ORDER

In the reference 1st read above, Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed, Kurnool Town & District has requested the Government for appointing him as Additional Khazi for Kallur and Kodumur Mandals of Kurnool District. In the reference 2nd read above the District Collector, Kurnool was requested to examine the matter in terms of Section 2 of the Qazis Act, 1880 and submit a detailed report to Government.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool in his report has stated that the Tahsildar, Kodumur has reported that the applicant namely Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.M.Abdul Rasheed belongs to Shaik (BC-E) Caste, R/o. Plot No.202, 3rd Floor, U Con Plaza, Kurnool City. He has studied M.A., LLB., and possessed Qazath Certificate from Jamia Nizamia Degree College, Hyderabad. He is the founder Chairman of Arabic School in Kurnool City. The Police Department has issued verification certificate stating that No Civil and Criminal Cases are pending against the applicant. Some of the Muslim Community people have given written statement duly recommending him for appointment as Government Khazi for Kodumur Mandal. He has further reported that the Tahsildar has requested that the applicant may be appointed as Government Khazi as per the guidelines of Minorities Welfare Department in vogue. The District Collector, Kurnool in his further report dt:18.03.2021 has fixed the Jurisdiction for Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed are Kurnool Rural, Kallur Urban and Kodumur Mandal.

3. After careful examination of the report of the Collector & District Magistrate, Kurnool District, the Government hereby appoint Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed, Kurnool Town & District as Government Kazi for Kurnool Rural, Kallur Urban and Kodumur Mandal of Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazis with immediate effect, initially, for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only, as per Section-2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) subject to the following conditions:

- 1 The Kazi is answerable to the Government for his actions.
2. The appointment of the Kazi can be revoked by the Government on receipt of complaints/verification of records or in extreme cases without notice, if malafide is established as per record.
3. The Kazi shall not indulge any illegal activity in the conduct of marriages nor infringe any law established by the Government.
4. The Kazi shall not carry out marriage of any minor.
5. The Kazi shall not act in any way which is prohibited in Islam or is not permissible in Islam.
6. The Kazi shall not conduct contract marriages.

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7. The Kazi or his Naib Kazi shall not perform any marriage, in any area, beyond his specified Jurisdiction.
8. The Kazi shall charge the specified fee and nothing more than that.
9. The Kazi shall appoint not more than three (3) Naib Kazis and the names of such Naib Kazis shall be informed to the Government.
10. Government shall have the right to take disciplinary action against the Kazi, in case of any contravention of Law or of any conditions specified above.
11. The Kazi shall hand-over the Marriage Record to the Wakf Board, at the end of the tenure.

4. If any question arises whether any person has been rightly appointed as Kazi under the above said Section, the decision thereof by the State Government shall be conclusive. The State Government may, if it thinks fit, suspend or remove any Kazi appointed under this Section, who is guilty of any misconduct in the execution of his Office, or who is for a continuous period of six months absent from the local area for which he is appointed, or leaves such local area for the purpose of residing elsewhere, or is declared an insolvent or desires to be discharged from the office, or who refuses or becomes in the opinion of the State Government unfit, or personally incapable to discharge the duties of office.

5. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

“In exercise of the powers conferred by Section-2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, after consulting the Principal Muhammadans residents of local area, hereby appoint Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer, S/o.Abdul Rasheed, Kurnool Town & District as Government Kazi for Kurnool Rural, Kallur Urban and Kodumur Mandal of Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazis, initially for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only”.

6. The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh State Waqf Board, Vijayawada/The District Collector, Kurnool is directed to take necessary action, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**MOHD ILIYAS RIZVI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri Moulana Abdul Qadeer,

S/o.Abdul Rasheed, R/o. Plot No.202, 3rd Floor, U Con Plaza,
Kurnool City, Kurnool District.

(Through the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool District)

The District Collector, Kurnool.

The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada.

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A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

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A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.

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SECTION OFFICER